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LITTLE GIRL FATALLY KICKED BY A HORSE

**At Her Home at Sturgeon Creek, Eliot,
With a Fractured Skull and Other
Serious Injuries**

Lillian, the five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morin is at the home of her parents at Sturgeon Creek, Eliot, in a critical condition as the result of being kicked by a horse on Monday afternoon.

The battered body of the little girl was found lying on the floor of the stable where she had fallen after being kicked by the infuriated animal. It is thought that the little girl had gone into the horse's stall with a water pail as one was found at the head of the stall.

Dr. Henry J. Durgin was hastily summoned and on his arrival he found that the little girl had sustained a fracture of the skull, two bad scalp wounds, a broken arm just below the shoulder, a wound under the chin that

exposed the lower jaw for two and one half inches. It is also feared that she has sustained internal injuries.

The little girl was made as comfortable as possible but owing to the seriousness of her injuries very little hope is held out for her recovery.

The sad accident has cast a gloom over the community in which the little girl resides as she was a universal favorite with all who knew her.

FOR WARD COUNCILMAN

Charles H. Walker is mentioned as the Republican candidate for the city council from Ward 2.

The local hospital is taxed to its capacity.

MILITARY ATTACHE IS RECALLED

**Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Kuhn
Detached From American
Embassy at Berlin.**

(Special to The Herald)
Washington, Nov. 28.—The war department today officially confirmed the reports of the recall of Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Kuhn, military attache at the American embassy in Berlin.

WELL KNOWN KITTERY BOY HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Ted Brooks, a former Kittery, Me. boy, now Superintendent of Agents for the Southern Pacific railroad company in the state of Pennsylvania, had a narrow escape from death recently. He was traveling in a jitney when it collided with another auto which crashed into the public conveyance overturning it and badly injuring all of the occupants. Mr. Brooks was severely cut and bruised.

TWO GERMAN ZEPPELINS ARE SHOT DOWN

**Were Trying to Reach London--Machines
Fall Into Sea and Both Crews Perish**

(Special to The Herald)
London, Nov. 28.—Two German Zeppelins were shot down in a raid over England last night. Both machines were trying to reach London. The crews of both ships perished. This makes four dirigibles that have been shot down on English soil. Both of the destroyed Zeppelins fell into the sea. The text of the war office official report is as follows: "Hostile aircraft dropped bombs in Yorkshire and Durham, but the damage was slight. One of the raiders was attacked by a

squadron of aeroplanes and brought down in flames off Durham. It fell into the sea. Another crossed the midland and was attacked and so badly damaged that it was unable to reach the coast before being shot down. Temporary repairs were made on the aircraft and a fresh start made. It was later attacked at sea by four naval aeroplanes and an armed trawler and brought down in flames at 6.45 o'clock this morning. The casualties are believed to be slight."

ENGLISH LINER BIRMINGHAM REPORTED SUNK

**Was Engaged in the East
Indian Trade and Last Re-
ported at Bombay.**

London, Nov. 28.—The City of Birmingham, an English liner, has been sunk according to a dispatch received this afternoon by Lloyd's. The Birmingham plied between British and West Indian ports. She was last reported at Bombay on Sept. 4.

EASTERN COAST OF ENGLAND IS RAIDED

**By a Fleet of German De-
stroyers, One of Which Is
Reported Sunk.**

London, Nov. 28.—German naval forces have raided the eastern coast of England. The attacking force was made up of destroyers and one of the hostile craft is reported to have been sunk. The British warcraft Narval is reported as missing. One of the towns bombarded was Lowestoft.

REPULSE OF ALLIES REPORTED IN MACEDONIA

(Special to The Herald)
Berlin, via Sayville, Nov. 28.—A grand assault by Russian, Italian and Serbian troops against the German and Bulgarian in Macedonia was launched on Monday but failed, the war office announced today.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Tuesday fair and slightly warmer; Wednesday fair, moderate southwest winds.

Sun Rises..... 6.54
Sun Sets..... 4.11
Length of Day..... 9.21
High Tide..... 1.01 am, 1.15 pm
Moon Sets..... 7.44 pm
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 4.44 pm

GERMANS NEAR ROUMANIAN CAPITAL

**Russian-Roumanian Defenses
Are Crumbling Before
Teutons' Approach.**

(Special to The Herald)
Berlin, via Sayville, Nov. 28.—The German Altes are only 35 miles from Bucharest, the Roumanian capital. Official announcement was made today of the capture of Giurgovo, which lies south of Bucharest and is only 35 miles away. It is on the Danube and the end of a railroad leading to King Ferdinand's kingdom. More crossings of the All river have been obtained by the German Altes. Under the pressure of the Austro-German-Hungarian forces the defenses of the Russo-Roumanian forces are crumbling to pieces all around Bucharest.

WILL NOT TAKE STEPS TO OBTAIN PEACE IN EUROPE

**German U-Boats Must Not
Violate Pledges of the
Government.**

(Special to The Herald)
Washington, Nov. 28.—President Wilson and his closest advisors at a series of conferences, decided this afternoon not to take steps to obtain peace in Europe. This was decided on the reports of the American diplomats who have been feeling out the belligerent nations on this subject and it was decided not to commit this government at the present time.

Ambassador Gerard also received instructions to inform the German government on his return to Berlin on the new submarine warfare that this government hoped that the German submarine commanders would in no way violate the pledges given this government. Ambassador Gerard was also instructed to tell the foreign office that this country would seriously regret any interference in the relief work in Belgium by the removal of Belgians to Germany.

Ambassador Gerard will leave Washington this afternoon and will sail from New York next Tuesday.

FEAR FOR THE SAFETY OF SIX AMERICANS

**Believed That Villa's First Act
Would Be to Massacre All
Foreigners.**

El Paso, Nov. 28.—Grave fears for the safety of six Americans and other foreigners in Chihuahua City is felt here as hours pass by without any news from the capital if Villa has captured the city as stated. It is feared that his first act would be a massacre of all foreigners found in the city.

Thanksgiving poultry at Cater's Market, 37 Daniel street.

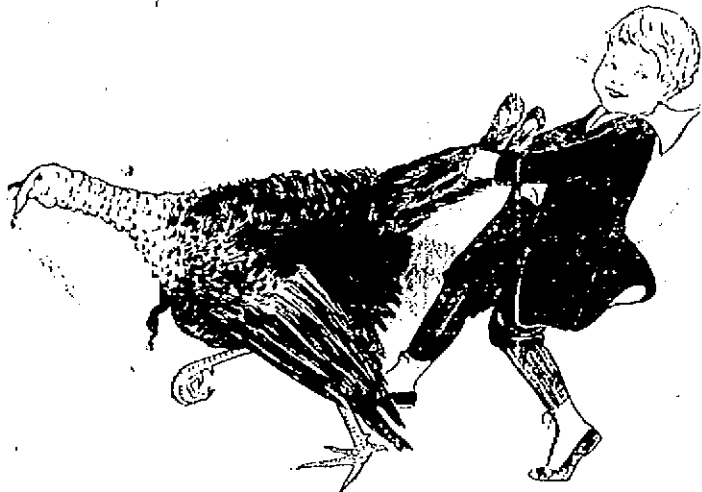
DEATH ENDS MANY YEARS OF LITIGATION

The death of Captain W. H. Jacques in London, as told in Monday's Herald, will bring to a close the years of litigation in the courts of the state heirs. By his death all the income of the Hale estate goes to John Hale Chandler, now a resident of this city. The local attorneys had only Saturday filed briefs in another suit. Mr. Jacques was trustee under the will.

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Table Napkins, some patterns to match damask \$1.50 to \$4.50 doz.
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Damask Tea and Carving Cloths \$1.25 to \$3.98
Luncheon Napkins \$5.50 to \$6.98 doz.

Dinner Sets in complete sets and open stock, in French and Austrian China, also in English semi-porcelain ware, \$14.00 to \$68.00 set.
Nickel Plated Ware, including Chafing Dishes, Coffee Machines, Casseroles, Serving Dishes, Toast Racks.
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Wednesday and Thanksgiving

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SEEKS CUSTODY OF HER CHILD

**Mrs. Carpenter Wants Boy
Until Court Case
Is Decided.**

Concord, Nov. 28.—Judge John Kivel yesterday ordered a hearing in Concord next Friday on a supplementary petition filed with him at Laconia Monday by counsel for Mrs. Margaret Paul Carpenter of Boston, asking that Major G. Carpenter and George A. Carpenter be restrained from taking Ralph Carpenter, Jr., outside of the jurisdiction of the New Hampshire courts.

Mrs. Carpenter asks that the boy be placed in the custody of the court pending the outcome of the case now in court and that he be placed in his mother's care meantime. Mrs. Carpenter declares that she has not been permitted by her husband and father-in-law to see her son since he "was forcibly and dramatically seized by Ralph G. Carpenter and his hired agents and carried away from her crying, 'Save me, save me, Muddy; they have got me,' at Magnolia, Mass., in the evening of September 7, 1915."

She further declares that "the assault upon her reputation by the false charges of her husband, Ralph G. Carpenter with the aid and connivance of his father, George A. Carpenter, and the subsequent notorious trial forced upon her by them, and especially their depriving her for the past 14 months of the custody and society of her boy, whom she loves has resulted in great distress and anguish of mind and violated her legal rights as a wife and mother under the laws of New Hampshire."

Mrs. Carpenter says that her innocence of the false charges against her have been judicially established by Judge Kivel's finding of Nov. 6 and that she is now legally entitled to the custody and custody of her boy, moreover that she is entitled to the custody, under the general equity powers and discretion of the court and ought not longer to be deprived thereof.

Because of this final hearing and order of her petition for separate maintenance and custody may be delayed, Mrs. Carpenter asks Judge Kivel to make temporary orders pending the proceedings as follows:

"That said Ralph G. Carpenter and his father, George A. Carpenter, who in effect now has the custody of said boy, be enjoined and commanded not to remove the boy from the state or beyond the jurisdiction of this court."

"That said Ralph G. Carpenter be enjoined from prosecuting his petition in the probate court for the appointment of his mother, Emma G. Carpenter, as guardian of said boy, contrary to the legal rights of your petitioner."

"That under and because of the circumstances judicially established be-

fore your Honor, a decree may forthwith be made that the custody and control of her said boy be taken by the court and henceforth until the final decision the court shall control and determine the actual custody of said boy."

"That said Ralph G. Carpenter and George A. Carpenter be enjoined and commanded forthwith to deliver her boy to her for the time being and pending the final decision in said proceedings, such delivery of custody to be upon such terms and conditions as to your Honor, under the circumstances may seem just."

RENSSELAER HOLDS LONG RUN RECORDS



Troy, N. Y., Nov. 28.—Up to date Rensselaer Poly's eleven still holds the record this season in long runs for a touchdown. Morse (upper figure) topped the long runs of the season, when he carried the pigskin a 100 yards for a touchdown against Hamilton; and "Habe" Seval (sitting) made the record dash for a touchdown from an intercepted pass in Rensselaer's game against Williams, when he made a spectacular run of 85 yards through a "Token field."

The coming city election will prove a lively battle.

NEW POINT OF FRICTION WITH ENTENTE ALLIES

British Refusal of Safe Conduct to New Austrian Ambassador.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Another controversy between the American government and the Entente Allies is in prospect as a result of the refusal of the British government to grant safe conduct to Count Tarnowski, the newly appointed Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the U. S.

In the absence of official advice on the subject, officials of the state department were not in a position yesterday to discuss informally or to forecast the course of the government. It was made evident, however, that the unfavorable action of the British foreign office on the notice of the intention of the new ambassador to pass the Atlantic came as an unpleasant surprise. It had not been doubted here that Great Britain would be the last power to deny the privileged character of a diplomatic officer on such a voyage.

Aside from the belief that England would not desire to arouse adverse feeling in the United States by interference with the ancient and generally unquestioned right of a neutral government to receive an ambassador or minister, officials had counted upon Great Britain's record in the Mason and Sidel case to prevent such an action as reported in today's cable despatches.

The fact is recognized that in protesting against the removal of the confederate commissioners from the steamship Trent, the British government was mainly concerned with the violation of the protection afforded by the British flag under which the Trent sailed and it is said that it was on that account that the U. S. repudiated the action of its naval commander.

But it is hoped here that the protest also was based on the right of diplomatic officers to make their way to their posts in neutral countries without molestation. It probably will be on that basis that the matter of Count Tarnowski's interrupted mission will be taken up with the Allies, for it is well understood that the London foreign office is supported by France, Italy and Russia in its actions.

It was learned yesterday that the state department so far has not made a formal request for the safe conduct for the Austrian ambassador, but has confined itself to a transmission of the request of the Austrian government for such a courtesy.

Christian church will commence at 7 p. m. at 8 p. m. this Tuesday evening. Miss Jessie Blake of Manchester, N. H., is the guest of Mrs. Howard of Main street.

Improvements are being made on the parsonage of the Second Christian church.

Mrs. Stacy Hall who has been visiting her father Mr. William Brown of Lake's Cove has returned home.

Earnest Workers, No. 41, will hold a regular meeting in Orange hall on Wednesday afternoon at 3.45. There is to be an installation of officers after which refreshments will be served.

Mr. Edward Berry of Main street has enlisted in the New Hampshire State Militia in Portsmouth.

The Riverside Reading club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Alfred Cogswell of Rogers road.

William Waldron of Otis avenue has taken employment on the navy yard.

Joseph Longton and wife of Dennett road left last Tuesday for Florida where they are to pass the winter.

Mr. Daniel Cross of Newark, N. J., has returned to his home after a visit with friends at North Kittery.

The Phoebe Society and Young Men's Bible class of the Second Christian church are planning a birthday social for the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conroy of Manson avenue were recent visitors in Portland, Me.

Mr. H. Howard who is employed in Amesbury, Mass., was the recent guest of his family on Main street.

Mrs. James of Boston has been a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Orin Picot of Post road.

KITTERY POINT

Regular Tuesday evening prayer meeting this evening at the Community house and the First Christian church at 7.30 o'clock and at the Free Baptist church at 7 o'clock.

A public auction was held on Monday afternoon of the land and buildings of Mr. William Hitchins on the Bartlett road.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kupfer and two children who have been spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Baker, returned on Tuesday to their home in Connecticut.

Captain Horace Seaward is making the trip to Portland and Boston on the Luc M. Mitchell Davis.

Work commenced on Monday on unloading the large load of coal that arrived on Saturday at Cutt's wharf for the Atlantic Shore Line power station.

Mrs. William H. Tobey returned Tuesday from a trip to Boston.

Mrs. Albert Fernald and daughter Miss Alice Grace of Portsmouth, formerly of Kittery Point, left on Tuesday for St. Cloud, Fla., to pass the winter.

Mr. Earl Marble has returned from a visit to New Haven, Conn.

The tug M. Mitchell Davis left Boston on Tuesday towing barges for Parker's Plats and Portland, Me.

Miss Emma Spencer is visiting with relatives at South Berwick for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart of Cambridge, Mass., are spending a few days at their summer home in town.

Mrs. Raymond Paul and son George, left on Tuesday for Baltimore, Md., after spending several months with Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Patch.

The Ladies' Aid Society was pleasantly entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Kimball. Light refreshments were served.

The K. F. G. club holds its next meeting with Miss Alice Patch on Friday afternoon.

COLORADO UNIONS AFTER TOM SAWYERS

Denver, Colo., Nov. 28.—There won't be any more Tom Sawyers in Colorado next spring if the master painters of Colorado have their way.

If the fence is to be whitewashed it must be done by union painters and not by any little tyke who comes along with a pretty colored marble that he wants to trade for opportunity to let Tom Sawyer look on.

If the neighbor in the next block wants a chance to earn \$5 by whitening your roof in the spring holidays he will have to have a license to do it and put up a bond for \$1,000. The license will cost \$5.

These are the provisions of a bill creating a board to regulate the business of painting and paper hanging which has been drawn up by James Duce, state oil inspector. It will be introduced at the next session of the legislature in January and will have the backing of the unions and the master painters.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

To the colored citizens of Portsmouth—You are hereby notified to meet in the vestry of the Pearl Street People's Baptist church Tuesday evening, Nov. 28, to elect the committee for the Emancipation celebration and attend to any other business pertaining thereto.

For order Committee, JOHN L. DAVIS, Chairman.

Harsh physical react, weaken the bowels, will lead to chronic constipation. Doan's Regulators operate easily.

VILLA'S FORCES MARCHING NORTH FROM CHIHUAHUA

Reported To Be in Full Possession of That Important City.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 28.—Villa is moving northward from Chihuahua City, according to a dispatch from General Trevino received last night by General Canales at Juarez, who was ordered to concentrate his forces at Juarez.

A private message coming over the same route adds that not only is Villa proceeding north, but he is in control of Chihuahua City, which General Trevino is supposed to have abandoned proceeding southward. General Trevino, according to this private report, said that after effecting a junction with General Murguía he would return and recapture Chihuahua.

The message from General Trevino was sent in code from Siaz by way of Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Tex., where it was relayed. It said, according to Carranza officials, that Villa was moving north and ordered the detached garrisons along this section of the frontier and on the Mexican northwestern line, to concentrate in Juarez. The message, they added, spoke of this as the fifth day of Villa's attacks.

The countenances of the civil and military men in the Juarez headquarters last night showed clearly the seriousness of the news.

"No, I think not," was the answer given by a Carranza representative of high rank, when asked whether the Villa crisis was yet over.

Telegraphic communication was still open with Siaz, about 26 miles above Chihuahua tonight, the military men said. They professed considerable anxiety about the Carranza garrison there. General Murguía, with his large forces, have been expected daily to come to the rescue of the besieged city.

HIDES HER FACE FROM MAN FOR 45 YEARS.

West Mentor, Ohio, Nov. 28.—True to her vow, made at the age of twenty, that she would not let mortal man look upon her face for the rest of her natural life, Miss Harriet Martindale today has just passed the forty-fifth year of her seclusion.

Miss Martindale at the age of twenty was engaged to be married to a young man with whom she was very much in love. One night while walking along a country road near her home, she saw her sister in the arms of her fiance. Three weeks later the man she was to have wed became the husband of her sister.

Heartbroken over the sudden realization of his perfidy, she solemnly vowed no man should see her face again, and through the use of a heavy veil and a life of seclusion she has kept her word.

She has requested that in the event of her death, no man be allowed to see her. A woman friend has been requested to prepare her body for burial.

Both the sister and her husband are dead.

For dyspepsia, our national ailment, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Recommended for strengthening digestion, purifying the blood. At all drug stores \$1.00 a bottle.

The small boy is looking for cold weather that he may have a chance to work the rust off his skates during his three-day vacation of this week.



Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Public Works, at their office, City Hall, until 5 p. m., Dec. 6, 1916, for furnishing twenty tons, more or less, of first quality loose hay. To be delivered in quantities satisfactory to this Board. The whole lot to be delivered before February 1st, 1917.

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 - 1913 Cadillac Touring . . . \$650
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KITTERY

The subject for discussion at the prayer meeting in the Government street Methodist church will be "The Life of Polycarp." Regular monthly business meeting of the official board after the prayer meeting. Let all the members of the board endeavor to be present.

A community Thanksgiving service will be held Thursday evening in the Government street church at 7.30. The Rev. F. J. Scott of Portsmouth will deliver the address. Rev. Carl L. Nichols will assist in the service. Special music will be given under the direction of Mr. Albert Sprague. Let us not only be thankful in eating on Thanksgiving day but let us go to the House of God as our forefathers did once at least in the day and give thanks.

The churches of Portsmouth, Kittery and vicinity are arranging for a special train to Boston next Tuesday, Dec. 5. It will give the people an opportunity to hear Billy Sunday twice and get home the next day. See advertisement in this paper.

The Ladies' Aid of the Government street church will hold their annual Christmas sale and entertainment in the church on Wednesday, December 6. Some very unique features are being planned.

The choir rehearsal of the Second Christian church will be held Tuesday evening after the prayer meeting.

The Young Men's Bible class will meet Tuesday in the parlor of the Second Christian church.

The subject of the prayer meeting to be held in the Second Christian church Tuesday is: "A House of Praise and Thanksgiving."

Mr. Edward Parsons of Main street passed the week-end with his parents at Briham, Me.

Matthew Johns of Government street has returned from a short visit to Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Emily Meyers of Government street is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. M. Bradstreet of Government street leaves this week for Philadelphia.

Miss Beatrice Ladd who has been the guest of relatives in town for the past two months has returned to her home in Amesbury, Mass.

Prayer meeting at the Second

Methodist church will be held Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Your Last Chance

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PAUL JONES' SHIP WAS SUNK BY AMERICAN GUNNERS

Papers Lately Discovered in Philadelphia Shed
New Light on History of Famous Sea Battle in
the Revolution

Out of an attic in an old house in Philadelphia has come a collection of old letters and documents which will rewrite history. They are the Revolutionary papers of Robert Morris, the financier of the American Revolution, and include letters and papers from the pens of such men as Alexander Hamilton, John Paul Jones, and many others. The letters are a rare find and among them is a suppressed letter of Hamilton's in criticism of his contemporaries. Another of the important papers is a letter to Mr. Morris from John Paul Jones, the first American Naval Commander, in which he gives a description of the sea battle between the Bon Homme Richard, his ship, and the British ship, the Serapis, which was defeated by the American. Jones lost his ship in the battle and until the finding of this letter it was always supposed that it had been shot to pieces by the enemy but remained afloat long enough to allow him to make his capture.

In his letter to Mr. Morris, Jones charges the American ship, the Alliance, and her commander, with being responsible for the loss of his ship. Jones signed this letter "Jno. P. Jones" and this is probably the only time he so signed a letter as none others have been discovered bearing this signature. Among the letters in this collection ten are from John Hancock, the first signer of the Declaration of Independence, and in one of these the Massachusetts man has nothing but kind words for Paul Jones.

This find of letters and documents will have an important bearing on history and will show that even history can not be relied upon. "With each

passing day we learn so much that is not so," is the way Mr. O. J. Frisbee, who has brought these letters to our attention, expressed their importance. John Paul Jones' Description of His Fight in the Bon Homme Richard. At last the Alliance appeared, but not to our assistance, for instead of laying the enemy alongside or assisting us with fresh men, he sailed around and fired into the Bon Homme Richard, even after every tongue had explained that he had fired into the wrong ship, and I had even hoisted a signal which could not be mistaken. He killed a number of our men and mortally wounded a good officer. At last the enemy struck the English flag, but our victory was too clear. The main mast of the Serapis fell overboard soon after the the Captain had delivered his sword and the fire continued unextinguished on board the Bon Homme Richard for eight hours afterward, having gained its way within a few inches of the magazine. In short, we found it impossible to preserve the good ship and I endeavored to do so so long that I had hardly time to save the sick and wounded. The Alliance contributed more to the loss of the Bon Homme Richard by hulling her between wind and water, and underwater, than did the enemy!

SPECIAL PRELIMINARY NOTICE

The management of the Majestic Theatre takes pleasure in announcing the engagement of Taylor Holmes in Lee Wilson Dodd's dramatization of Harry Leon Wilson's amusing stories which were published serially in the Saturday Evening Post and as a novel.

"His Majesty Bunker Bean" to begin Monday, December 4th, and continue thereafter indefinitely. "His Majesty Bunker Bean" is a farcical comedy, by Lee Wilson Dodd, based upon the stories of Harry Leon Wilson, which had a great vogue in the Saturday Evening Post three years ago. The play is described as a pleasing mixture of light comedy and serious drama, with almost a suggestion of the tragic. The action involves around a period in the life of Bunker Bean, a serious minded young stenographer who gains unexpected self reliance and strength through the belief that he is the reincarnation not only of Napoleon Bonaparte, but also of Ram-lah, a powerful Egyptian king of ancient times. The newly found confidence in himself transforms Bunker into an energetic business man, so sure of himself that success follows him in business, and with the assistance of his sweetheart the daughter of his employer, in love. The four acts all have to do with Bunker during his state of transition. And there is a moral: "As a man thinketh." The original company will be seen in the forthcoming presentation, including Charles Abbe, Florence Shirley, Robert Kelley, Lillian Lawrence, Horace Mitchell, Grace Peters, Jack Beveraux, Marian Kerby, Walter Sherwin, Clara Louise Moore, John Hogan, Annette Westbay, Delford Forrest, Harry C. Power, Geo. C. Lyman, in support of the star, Taylor Holmes.

NEW PLUNGER IS LAUNCHED AT BRIDGEPORT

THE N-4 OF LATEST AMERICAN
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TESTS WITHIN A FEW
WEEKS.

Bridgeport, Conn., Nov. 27.—The N-4, the latest type of submarine built for the United States Government, was launched successfully today at the yards of the Lake Torpedo Boat Company. Miss Dorothy H. Elliott of Reynoldsville, Pa., was its sponsor, breaking a bottle of champagne over its bows as the boat slid into the water. Offshore two tugs awaited the undersea boat and guided it to a resting place at the dock, where it will be completed for the Government tests, which are expected to be given within a few weeks at Provincetown, Mass. The craft, the first of the type to be built here, was authorized in the naval appropriation bill of June, 1914. It is about the size of the other submarines but makes use of the latest devices in submergence and gunnery, and is said to combine the elements which the experience of submarines in the present war has shown to be desirable. Three other submarines of the same type are under construction here and are expected to be completed within a few weeks.

Contract for Fast Scout

Washington, Nov. 27.—The Seattle Construction and Dry Dock Company today was awarded a contract by the Navy Department for the construction of one 35-knot scout cruiser for \$4,975,000. Delivery will be made within thirty months. The Seattle company was the only private concern to bid on the four scout cruisers whose figure came with in the appropriation of \$5,000,000 each. Secretary Daniels will seek an additional appropriation at the next session of Congress for the remaining three vessels.

HAMPTON

Miss Florence M. Aselline has sent in her resignation as teacher of languages at Hampton Academy to take effect at the Christmas vacation. On Wednesday evening the Senior Class of Hampton Academy gave a surprise party to their teacher, Miss Florence M. Aselline. Games were played and Miss Toppan served a chaffin dish supper. Before leaving for home Mr. Easton Hobbs, president of the class, presented Miss Aselline with a pair of solid silver tablespoons. Major Leavitt of Arlington, Mass., was the week end guest of relatives in town. Arthur M. Sanborn and family of Boston spent Sunday in town with his mother. Miss Bernice Gilden spent Wednesday in Boston. Miss Lida Watson of Nottingham has been visiting Miss Lydia Dow. Miss Doris MacNeill of North

PLAN TO HOOK UP COAST FOR DEFENSE

Every Light House and Coast Guard Station Will
be in Instant Communication With Washington

Washington, Nov. 27.—Congress will be asked to appropriate \$600,000 to establish a complete system of communication all along the coast line of the United States. Of this, \$250,000 will be sought immediately. The purpose is two-fold.

First, as a step in military preparedness, so that a foreign enemy cannot approach the ragged American coast without immediate notice being sent to Washington.

Second, to provide for better cooperation between the United States Coast Guard and the lighthouse service and other Government agencies for the protection of life and property at sea.

President Wilson is behind the project. He issued an executive order authorizing a commission, known as the Inter-Departmental Board on Coastal Communications, to work out the details for the establishment of such a system. This board has sent to the White House its recommendations, the details of which this paper is able to present exclusively.

Radio apparatus is to be installed and telephone lines built between all the coast guard shore stations, formerly the stations of the Life-Saving Service, and the most important lighthouses and lightships along the coast. It will be possible then to communicate at all times with every important point along the coast through a system which will have its headquarters in Washington.

Many Departments Cooperate

Cooperating in the scheme are representatives of the Treasury Department, the Navy Department, the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Commerce, all of which have membership on the Inter-Departmental Board on Coastal Communications, authorized by the President. These important Government divisions have been at work on the project for almost a year, quietly, carefully considering the question in all the phases.

Strong recommendations are to be made to Congress for immediate action on the proposal, which is regarded as one of the most important steps the Government could undertake.

The work for the first year advocated by the board provides for an expenditure of \$250,000 to build radio apparatus and install telephone lines—wherever is most feasible in certain localities. The service is to be extended then with an appropriation the next year.

It probably will take three years before the work is completed and the system in full operation.

As a step in efficiency, in order to give one central control, the service is to be placed under the Coast Guard, which has already in operation 1600 miles of telephone lines between the Coast Guard shore stations. The Coast Guard automatically, in time of war, becomes a part of the United States Navy; in time of peace it is devoted, through its fleet of cutters and corps of life-savers, to the saving of life and property at sea.

Many Isolated Posts

At present many of the stations particularly the lighthouses and lightships have no means of communicating with each other or with any central station except by messenger. There are lighthouses and lightships on ragged places along the coast, both Atlantic and Pacific, which are heard from only once every week or 10 days, by a small boat carrying mail and supplies. In rough weather the small boats make the trips with less frequency, particularly to outlying stations. Much dependence is placed on passing ships to give the alarm when lights are not burning.

There has been no way for these stations to communicate with others to assist in the saving of life and property. Ships frequently go ashore on jagged rocks and lighthouse keepers cannot aid or send for aid. In one instance within recent years a steamship was dashed on the rocks and 22 members of the crew were drowned while the lighthouse keeper watched helplessly. A life-saving station was only 3 1/2 miles away, but he had no way to call it.

There have been many other similar instances—all which have proved to the officials the need for a system by which the various stations can communicate with each other.

NEW HAMPSHIRE HORSES WON \$85,000 IN RACES IN 1916

New Hampshire horses, that is to say horses owned in New Hampshire or trained and driven by New Hampshire men, to the number of 60, raced 276 times in the season of 1916, and won in round numbers \$85,000 in stakes and purses, writes Marlin C. Pearson in the Concord Monitor. In his annual review of racing in the Granite State, as has been the case for the past ten years, however, one man, Walter R. Cox, won almost nine-tenths of this total, the earnings of his stable for the year aggregating \$15,000. Race meetings were held in the state during the year only in connection with the agricultural fairs at Rochester, Hopkinton, Portsmouth, Lancaster, Plymouth, Greenfield and Nashua, their offerings in purses amounting to \$10,000. As for several years past, Cox was second in the National Table of winnings only to Thomas W. Murphy of New York, and the two together carried off one-third of all the prize money offered on the grand circuit. Cox counts this his most successful season, not only from the amount of money brought home but because of the fact that this year, for the first time, he won those classic stakes of the trotting world, the M. & M. at Detroit, and the Transylvania at Lexington. Both of these races and 11 others during the season went to the star of his stable, and the best trotter he ever has handled, the chestnut mare, Mabel Trask, 2:03 1/4, by Peter the Great. Her total winnings for the summer were \$33,329—\$10,000 more than those of any other trotter or pacer in training this year. The best of the other trotters in his stable was Busy's Lassie, 2:06 3/4, raced this year for educational purposes only, but sure to be a shining light in 1917. The great Mary Putney, also in

his string, was raced but once, at Lexington, where she showed 2:04 3/4 with the greatest of ease. Cox usually has a lot of useful pacers, but this season the side-wheelers were in the minority in his stable, the best of them being Young Todd, 2:02 1/4, by Director Todd, whose winnings for the year were \$5780. However, Single G., winner of \$6891 and Spring Maid, winner of \$3722, although in other stables were driven in most of their races by the New Hampshire man. Next to Cox, the most successful New Hampshire trainer was Edward A. Sunderlin of Lebanon, who was behind the money in but two races out of 54, 10 of which he won, finishing second 11 times, third 7 times and fourth 14 times. His total winnings were \$6455, divided among his small stable of five horses as follows: Crescent Todd, 2:14 1/4, \$1350; Maella, 2:13 1/4, \$1448; Betty Dean, 2:14 3/4, \$1050; Michigan King, 2:09 1/4, \$1055; Eva Dare, 2:15 1/4, \$916.

E. H. Mudge of Manchester, made a successful campaign with the pacer Woodcliffe King, 2:09 1/4, and sold him well at the close of the season. Mudge, a Portsmouth pacer, won money in nine out of a dozen starts. L. E. Corliss of Woodsville marked his handsome Lucanda pacer, Dream Life, in 2:19 over a poor track. W. E. Harry of Lancaster, George Lyons of Woodsville and George Presby of Lisbon were other north country men whose horses won brackets several times during the season. In other sections of the state horsemen who took part in races at the fairs and elsewhere included A. O. Preston of Concord, Leo Cavanaugh of Manchester, John Adams of Bennington, Joseph Churchill of Dover, P. E. Littlefield, P. H. Osgood and J. O'Brien of Rochester and C. F. Britton of Marlow.

Hampton spent Sunday with Miss Mary Toppan. Prof. Stimmers of Durham College gave a lecture before Parents Teachers Association on Friday evening. Misses Anna and Charlotte Batchelder of Newburyport were week end guests of relatives in town. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Quimby and Miss Bell Nudd start for Florida on Dec. 3d. Mr. George H. Clark and son of Portsmouth spent Sunday in town.

The local lodge of Red Men held a venison dinner at Hodgdon's Cafe last evening with an attendance of fifty.

WON'T GUARANTEE AUSTRIAN SAFE PASSAGE TO U. S.

London, Nov. 27.—It was officially stated today that the British government has refused a safe conduct for Count Tarnow Tarnowsky, recently appointed Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States.

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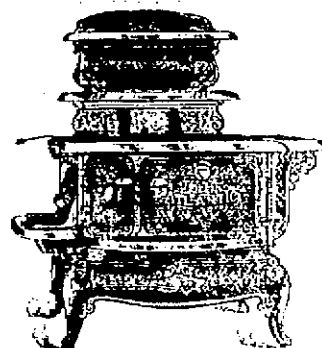
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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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Portsmouth, N. H., Tuesday, November 28, 1916.

Thanksgiving.

The annual Thanksgiving day is again at hand and, notwithstanding the volume of discontent and grumbling, most of those who will take a fair account of their blessings will find that they have much to be thankful for. They may not be able to have the biggest and fattest turkey and all that goes with it, but the great majority will be able to have a good dinner, and for this as well as for the many other blessings they enjoy they should be truly thankful.

We live in a land of plenty. At present the prices of food-stuffs and other necessities are abnormally high. This is the cause of much dissatisfaction and growling, but the fact is that very few are going hungry. The strength of their protests plainly indicates that the people are not in an emaciated condition.

The country is at peace, business is booming, work is plentiful, wages are high and going higher. In the homes of thousands of workingmen recent increases in wages will be one of the causes for thanksgiving on Thursday. In every part of this broad land there will be gatherings of families unbroken by the cruel hand of war. The presidential election, with all its stress and strain, is a thing of the past, and all good citizens are ready to forgive and forget. There is much to be thankful for.

In the whirl of politics and business and the general unrest that pervades the age we must not forget that steady and rapid progress is being made along practically every line of human activity. Science and invention are placing new blessings within reach of the human family every day. Educational advantages are multiplying, the ravages of disease are being stayed, and in spite of prognostications of evil the people are facing greater opportunities and achievements than ever before.

The present is no time for pessimism. There are some conditions that are unsatisfactory. These must be overcome, and they will be. The country is moving forward and not backward. It remains for the American people to bear these facts in mind when comes the day for taking account of stock—physical, mental and spiritual—and if grace cannot be said over the smoking carcass of a turkey, comfort may still be extracted from a spare rib or the bronzed remains of the old rooster. If we cannot all be as thankful as we would be let us be as thankful as we can, and see to it that some less fortunate individual or family has something to be thankful for too.

Bouck White, head of the "Church of the Social Revolution," says Thanksgiving is a gold brick to all but the adherents of that church, who are the only ones that have anything to be thankful for. They can be thankful, he says, "for the breaking down of the present social order." But the present social order has not yet been sidetracked by the "Social Revolutionists," and most people may be thankful for the fact that it will be a long time before it is.

The fact that President Wilson will be sworn in twice next March will not give him any stronger hold upon the office. The fourth of March will come on Sunday and, in order to avoid all question, he will take the oath of office that day, and this will be repeated on the following day, when the inauguration ceremonies will take place. There is nothing like being on the safe side.

Many people in different places have been defrauded of late by slick solicitors taking magazine subscriptions and collecting money in advance. The magazines fail to come and the subscribers realize that they have been fleeced only when it is too late. In subscribing for publications of any kind it is well to deal directly with them or with agents whose dependability is known.

It is said that in New York coal tar dye is being used to put the appearance of butter fat in ice cream, and that decayed eggs are used to put glaze on bread. It would seem that such things, if continued, should have a tendency to ease the cost of living to some extent. But the chances are that the practice will not be continued.

Holland is reported to be suffering from a scarcity of coal, but under present conditions about all the American people will be able to do about it will be to extend their sympathy. It is safe to say there will be no Thanksgiving or Christmas presents of coal sent abroad.

One of Billy Sunday's most ambitious predictions is a "dry" Boston. It may come in time, but the probability is that the famous evangelist will not live to see it.

Sh! we yet have a touch of Indian summer?

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Our Illusory Prosperity

(From the Living Church)

Our national prosperity is largely illusory. Gold has flowed into the vaults of our banks beyond what has ever been known before, and jobs are plentiful and are filled with such difficulty that the unskilled workman is receiving wages that, not long since, would have delighted those who are skilled. But the cost of living has advanced still faster. Our supply of coal is short because of a lack of workmen to mine it. Our transportation facilities have nearly broken down for want of cars. Our factories are jeopardized by the scarcity of many raw materials. Our newspapers and periodicals are almost on the verge of suspension because of the cost of paper and supplies. American business life, never so prosperous on the face of it, stands over a volcano that may blow it to atoms any day.

Knocking Out the Props

(From the Springfield Union, Itcp.) Governor McCull is inviting the displeasure of the Administration at Washington by urging prayers for the end of the war in his Thanksgiving proclamation. The end of the war will mean the end of the Democratic prosperity.

Belgium's Slavery Our Lesson

(John A. Logan of Des Moines, Ia., in New York Sun.) Before the great war it was believed quite generally that human slavery had been abolished forever in civilized countries. The enslavement of Belgium by the apostles of Kultur makes it plain that acceptance of German social development as civilization is a fallacy. If this soul-crushing crime, the darkest of the twentieth century, does no more than awaken America to the misery of those who are too weak to guard their own soul, it will have served some purpose.

"Let Us Have Peace"

(From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.) Labor has some excuse for the feeling that without the application of force it has small hope of material concessions from capital, and capital, on the other hand, must learn that it can no longer pose as the divinely appointed instrument for the unregulated and uncontrolled administration of the nation's industry. What capital needs to learn further is that when it essays to "fight" the labor unions it is only solidifying those elements of the population for whom the labor union speaks in the notion that the temple of justice is closed to them, and that only by force can they compel recognition of the genuine right of labor to a more equitable share in the products of its toil. The pressure crisis calls for conciliation, not for warfare, for a clearer mutual understanding instead of the intensification of differences. It is too much to expect moderation and restraint on the part of those just taking the first steps of power, but if moderation and restraint are to be applied to the securing of a just settlement of present differences, the example will have to be set by those to whom the public has the right to look for those qualities which have made civilization possible and social progress toward higher and more human ideals a living fact. The sanction of society is worth striving for, and it will not be won by those who struggle blindly and hold tenaciously to what they can get, regardless of justice and equity. The social conscience is thoroughly awake today to the sins which have attended the unjust exploitation of labor in the past, but repentance and reparation are not going to be hastened by a war of reprisal and enforced retribution!

The Two Conquering Women

(From the Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.) The new congresswoman ought to get Ruth Law to bring her from Montana to Washington.

Make Hay While the Sun Shines

(From the New York Herald.) "Make all you can and lay aside a little more than you can, for you are going to need it, and need it badly." This bit of philosophic advice to business men is given by Mr. Robert G. Middleton, a South Chicago buyer, who is interviewed in today's Herald. Mr. Middleton expresses confidence that the present prosperity will last until the war ends in Europe, but of what may come after he says: "The cat may jump any way, and any way it jumps it is going to affect us." He is dubious concerning the outlook for the United States unless the tariff is revised upward.

The Cost of the War

(From "Gigard's Topics of the Town" in the Philadelphia Public Ledger.) To date the war has cost sixty billions. It takes a sum equal to our own greatest national debt at the close of the war to save the Union to pay even the annual interest on this new debt of Europe. That interest each year more than wipes out a city as big and rich as Philadelphia. It is nearly three times our total Federal Government expenditures. It would more than pay for all our country's public school and college education every year. This added annual charge of Europe—not the debt, mind you, but the interest on the debt—would build half a

CURRENT OPINION

Achievements of American Writers Lack Recognition at Home.

I am not one of those who think it an evidence of broad culture and critical acumen to speak contemptuously of the achievements of American writers.

In recent years there has been a marked disposition on the part of American critics to characterize as rubbish and unworthy of place in literature the writings of certain Americans who were regarded with great affection in my youth. I hope I am a good American and without literary chauvinism, but I object to the familiar sneer that our literature is only a phase and hardly a creditable phase of English literature.

It is often said, and truly, I think, that the great and exacting problems of government and the development of the country itself have so absorbed our imagination and energy that we have approached the arts laggardly and reluctantly.

I am convinced, however, that we are at last coming to a realization of our imperfections as contributors to the various arts.—By Meredith Nicholson, Noted Author.

dozen Panama Canals every year.

Europe's new interest would tax every inhabitant of the United States \$30 a year and to pay the full debt would require \$600 from every American.

Sink 150 buildings such as our national Capitol in the earth and you just about match the war debt interest.

The deposits in Pennsylvania's largest savings bank, put there by 200,000 depositors, would pay the war debt interest for only six weeks.

Senator Penrose's salary for a year is enough to cancel that interest for one infinite and a quarter.

President Wilson's salary for a year would pay the interest for twelve and a half minutes.

And the war isn't ended, but when it is ended one would suppose that the best investment any man in Europe could make would be a steamship ticket to the U. S. A. and so avoid that back-breaking tax for the rest of his life.

America's Food Supply

(From the Philadelphia Telegraph.) Representative Fitzgerald's announced purpose to labor in the next session of Congress for an embargo on American foodstuffs implies that in his mind there is no other way for the country to find relief from the rapidly rising cost of living. It is not plain, however, that an embargo is the only alternative to national hunger.

America produces more food and other necessities than it requires for its own consumption. That is admitted and encouraging; the growth of that thing which is vital to modern industrial nations—foreign trade—being dependent upon the existence of a surplus output from our mills, mines and cultivated soil.

What this nation is called upon to effect, for the first time in its history, is a correct and wholesome apportioning of its surplus output, its exportable margin. Heretofore it has been derided quite safe to permit the aid laws of supply and demand to make that apportionment, domestic consumers keeping for themselves. Just as much as they had the money or desire to buy, in competition with foreign purchasers.

Under the new and abnormal conditions brought about by the war, however, none dare say with finality, that a peaceful people should be made to compete for possession of its own products with foreign governments that are prepared to spend their last dollar, and all they can borrow, in the food market.

Perhaps the Federal agencies that are at present making inquiry into the food situation will be able to throw some light on the question of how much food there is in the country, how much will be required to sustain the nation until the next harvest and how much remains that can be sent abroad without prejudice to our own welfare. With these essential facts in hand, Congress would be able to proceed with intelligence, should any legislation be deemed advisable.

Enough to Pay Demurrage

(From the Indianapolis News.) Eighty-three empty coal cars are reported as having been idle in a gravel pit near Edinburg for thirty days, but no doubt the coal companies have to keep some cars in reserve for hauling the surplus money back to the mines.

The "Tanks" of Cyrus

(From L'Illustrazione della Guerra, Torino.)

Apocryph of the armored automobile of the British, the "Bicar" of Paris remarks that the first model of this kind of war automobile is found illustrated in the bas-reliefs of Khorsabad and Nineveh; armed chariots used by the Greeks and the Trojans in the days of Agamemnon, and which were introduced by Cyrus in the armies of the Persians. Having at hand no gasoline, Cyrus had his chariots or his cars drawn by horses. Syria at the battle of Cheronea found means of defence against those armed chariots which for centuries had spread terror on battlefields. He armed his soldiers of the second line with poles divided into four sharp-pointed poles. These poles were planted on the ground on the advance of the armored chariots launched in an assault by Archilochus, Mithridates' commander. The first line of the Romans retired in the rear of this barrier against which the armed chariots in their impetuous assault were broken to pieces. Suddenly the light forces of

Sylla hurled themselves forward; they surrounded the armed chariots, covering them with a cloud of arrows and a shower of stones. Few of these chariots could escape, amidst the cries of mockery of the Roman soldiers. "Polye" the writer of this article in the Figaro says that in this third year of the war Hindenburg is not worth a Sylla, nor could the armies of the Teutons rival the Roman legions.

For a One-Term Presidency

(From the New York Herald.) There is no more certain way for Mr. Wilson to win the plaudits of the people and attain an enviable place in history than to take immediate hold of this single presidential term project and to see to it that Congress does its part in preparing the way for the promised and much desired change.

NAVY YARD NOTES

Vessel Movements

The Albany has arrived at Salina Cruz.

The Arethusa at Port Arthur.

The Buffalo at Navidad Bay.

The Eagle at Sanchez.

The Hancock at Guantanamo.

The Jupiter at Five Fathom Bank lightship.

The Nanshan at Gulf of Fonseca.

The Orion at Olongapo.

The Preston at Lynn Haven Roads.

The Supply at Yokohama.

The Triton at Norfolk.

The Cyclops has sailed from New York for Hampton Roads.

The Machias from San Domingo for Sanchez.

The Monaghan from New York for Jacksonville.

The New Orleans from La Paz for Guaymas.

The South Dakota from San Francisco for Puget Sound.

Naval Orders

Commander P. Smythington, from office of naval intelligence, navy department to command the Tacoma, Dec. 16.

Jr. Lieut. C. J. Parish the Yankton to the Montana.

P. A. Surgeon P. B. Stalmaker, to training station, Newport, R. I., and C. E. Robertson the Memphis to the Arkansas Dec. 22.

Pay Clerk W. E. Lund, the Florida, home until orders.

Acting Pay Clerk H. Atwood, the New Jersey to the South Carolina.

Will Build Scout Cruiser

The Seattle Construction and Dry Dock Company was awarded a contract by the navy department for the construction of one 35-knot scout cruiser for \$1,975,000 Monday. Delivery will be made within 30 months.

The Seattle Company was the only private concern whose bid on the four scout cruisers came within the appropriation of \$5,000,000 each. Sec. Daniels will seek an additional appropriation at the next session of congress for the remaining three vessels. New advertisements for the three new vessels will be made, however, in the hope that acceptable bids may yet be forthcoming from private builders. Should bids be received within the \$5,000,000 limit, they will be opened on Jan. 3.

"Bum" is No More

"Bum," the pet dog of the San Francisco crew is said to have died recently at Guantanamo Bay where the vessel left him nearly a year ago. The canine was pretty close to the jacket and knew Portsmouth like a book. He was more than an ordinary canine in intelligence and his enlistment record as one of the ship's company is still in the hands of the crew. He was a mascot at all games where the crew took part and his daily feed helped greatly to increase the output of the chocolate candy factories.

Twenty-Two More.

Ten general helpers and twelve machinists' helpers were required by the Industrial Department today.

Money for December

The allotments for the month of December in the Industrial Department have been allowed as follows: Construction and repair, \$37,000 for

labor; \$20,000 for material; steam machinery, \$25,000 for labor; \$10,000 for material; ordnance, \$2,000 for material; \$7,500 for labor. For the increase of the navy the construction and repair gets \$10,400 for labor, and \$10,000 for material. The machinery will have \$70,000 for material and \$6,000 for labor. This will apply mostly to submarine construction.

Summoned to His Home.

Chief Boatswain Martin of the Military Department was summoned to his home in Prairie City today by the serious illness of his mother.

Not Assigned as Yet.

Lieut. Commander Wynnon, who was transferred last week from the Paducah to the yard, is still unassigned.

Got It in the Bill.

The sum of \$134,000 will be inserted in the next appropriation bill chiefly for the improvement of the power plant of the local yard.

JEWISH WAR RELIEF WILL INCREASE THEIR FACILITIES

The Joint Distribution Committee of Funds for Jewish War Sufferers, representing the American Jewish Relief, the Central Relief and the People's Relief Committees, has decided to considerably increase the facilities of their office to the public, for the transmission of funds for individuals abroad.

Up to and including Nov. 23 last, 17,542 separate remittances, representing \$109,514.05, have been received and transmitted to Russia, Poland, both in German and in Austrian Occupation, Palestine, Turkey, Roumania, etc. The receipts of the payees on the other side, from Russia and from Poland in German Occupation, thus far received, amount to about one half of the remittances sent.

The Joint Distribution Committee, at its last meeting, decided to open branches down town in the Bronx and in Brownsville. Arrangements have now been completed for the opening of the first of these branches. Dwellers on the lower East Side will be able to go to the Educational Alliance, corner East Broadway and Jefferson street, every Saturday evening, from and after Saturday evening, Dec. 2, between the hours of 7:30 and 10 p. m.

The transmission bureau, which is under the personal direction of Mr. Herbert H. Lehman, treasurer of the Joint Distribution Committee, will have a full staff of clerks there, during the above mentioned hours, and persons desiring to deposit money to be transmitted to their relatives abroad, will be able to transact their business there in exactly the same way as they have been doing heretofore, at the main office, 20 Exchange Place.

The main office is open every day, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., except on the Sabbath and the Holy Days.

No charge whatever, is made for these services in connection with which every effort is being made to trace missing relatives in the war zones.

Remittances by mail must be made direct to the main office. Only certified checks or money orders should be sent to Mr. Herbert H. Lehman, treasurer of the Transmission Bureau of the Joint Distribution Committee, 20 Exchange Place, New York.

Other branch offices will be opened as soon as suitable arrangements can be made.

PEOPLES' OPINIONS.

Wants More for Portsmouth Yard

Editor: According to information from Washington an appropriation will be inserted in the next naval bill for improvements in the power and heating plant at the Portsmouth navy yard. This no doubt is needed, but there are other matters which should be taken care of and in which the citizens of Portsmouth should interest themselves. We need above all, a new machine shop and another dry dock; also more quay wall on the water front. It is time this station was developed in one way as well as another. We cannot predict for the coming years what will happen and we were given to understand when the appropriation was allowed that it would apply to navy yard improvement as much as shipbuilding, etc. The people interested in navy yards in other cities are alive to the needs of their home reservations and are working to have the government spend something to develop the same. None of the yards have a better chance than Portsmouth for development and our people should keep after the administration until it delivers the goods.

LOCAL BUSINESS MAN.

FORM A SOCIAL SERVICE BRANCH

The members of the organized charities held a meeting on Monday afternoon at the office of the secretary, when a social service committee was formed with W. L. Hill, chairman, and Miss Eleanor Gooding clerk.

This branch includes a large list of names and the object is to meet monthly and discuss matters pertaining to the general organization and the work needed about the city.

Mrs. John Dabney and three children, who have been the guests of Fred M. Sise, left Tuesday morning for Newport, where they will visit Surgeon Carpenter, U. S. N.

COURT DECISION IS AGAINST MISS GARMONG

Sued John B. Henderson for \$250,000 for Alleged Breach of Promise.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 28.—Miss Elizabeth L. Garmong of Bangor loses everything in her record-breaking breach of promise suit against John B. Henderson, who inherited the millions of his father, the late Speaker Henderson of Congress. The full bench of Maine, known as the law court handed down a decision giving judgment in favor of Henderson. This decrees that in the eyes of the law Henderson is not the father of Miss Garmong's six year old daughter, Miss Garmong sued for \$250,000 and was awarded a verdict of \$110,000 by a jury in a Penobscot county court hearing. This was considered excessive and set aside. Another Penobscot jury decided that Miss Garmong was entitled to \$75,000 at the outset, but it was given to the law court to decide whether she was entitled to anything or nothing. It was on this point that the law court handed down a decision for Henderson and against Miss Garmong.

NEW YALE ORGAN GREATEST IN U. S.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 28.—With the completion of the Newberry organ in Woolsey hall, Yale will have the third largest organ in the world. The original organ, built in 1903, has been entirely reconstructed and enlarged, and has 163 stops. The only organs having more stops are two in Europe, one in Liverpool and one in Breslau. The new organ will have cost \$50,000 when completed, the money having been given by members of the Newberry family.

J. W. Steere & Son are the builders of the organ. One of its features is an arrangement of numbered pistons, each one being a combination previously prepared by the organist. These pistons are prepared at a switchboard, and when wanted are simply pulled out. Another feature of the organ is a row of electric indicator lamps, which show at a glance what is in operation, and what is silent.

EXAMINE LUMBER MEN FOR FOREIGN RESEARCH

Washington, Nov. 28.—Examinations are being held in various American cities in an effort of the government to select a number of expert lumbermen to visit Europe and make a scientific study of what the lumber needs of Europe will be at the close of the war. The investigation of the future European lumber market is to be made under the direction of the Federal Trade Commission, the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce and the leading American lumber associations of the country.

The examination is being conducted under civil service rules, questions having been mailed from Washington. Last month an oral examination was held at Washington, but so few of those appearing qualified that the government deemed it wise to hold another examination by mail for men who could not come to Washington.

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**HAVE SEEN NOTHING OF
REPORTED SUBMARINES**Captains at Newport Think British
Cruiser Mistook U. S. Craft for U-
Boats.

Newport, R. I., Nov. 28.—Although the British cruiser Lancaster continued yesterday sending out radio messages, warning Allied vessels to be on the lookout for German U-boats no ship arriving here reported submarines. It is thought that American submarines operating round Black's Island from their New London base, may have been mistaken for German craft.

Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, commandant of the Narragansett Bay naval station has received no word of German U-boats operating in these waters. In case of need, the coast guard cutter Aenshuet would be summoned from her station at Woods Hole.

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Fancy Concord grapes, 25c basket.
New California walnuts, 25c lb.
Mixed nuts, 20c lb.
Whist chocolates, 30c and 40c lb.

WHIST PARTY AND DANCE

By the Larkin club at N. E. O. P. hall on Wednesday evening, Nov. 29.

**TENTH ANNUAL
OLDER BOYS'
CONFERENCE**Will Be Held at Nashua Y. M.
C. A. on Dec. 1, 2 and 3.

The tenth annual Older Boys' Conference of New Hampshire will be held in Nashua, Dec. 1, 2 and 3. It is expected that there will be 400 boys there from all over New Hampshire. The conference is open to delegates from the Young Men's Christian Associations of the city and country, to all the churches of the state, to all Boy Scout Troops and organized Sunday schools. The program is as follows:

Friday, Dec. 1.—1 p. m., Registration of delegates at Y. M. C. A.; 6:30, city hall, annual dinner; toastmaster, Rev. H. H. Huse, Concord; music by orchestra and quartet; Mayor James B. Crowley will welcome the boys of New Hampshire to Nashua; Mr. Herman A. Osgood, President Nashua Y. M. C. A., will greet the boys; Address of the evening, by H. W. Gibson, Boston, state secretary for Boys' Work in Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Saturday, Dec. 2.—9 a. m., Song service led by the quartet; sectional conferences; short papers on practical talks for boys by Older Boys; open forum; 11 a. m., reassembly, morning address by H. W. Gibson; 11:45, conference photograph; 12 m., leaders' luncheon at the Association building; 3 p. m., recreation hours; 7 p. m., mass meeting; evening address by Daniel R. Poling, Associate President, United Society Christian Endeavor.

Sunday, Dec. 3.—10:30 a. m., Regular morning worship, conference leaders occupying the pulpits; 3:30 p. m., mass meeting for delegates and Older Boys of Nashua; devotional period; address by H. W. Gibson; 7 p. m., union service of Nashua churches; address by Daniel A. Poller, Boston; closing service of the conference.

**SPECIALS AT CATER'S MARKET,
37 DANIEL ST., TEL. 120.**

Poultry, all kinds; fresh pork loins; fancy celery and cranberries; Florida and California sweet oranges; grapefruit; cluster raisins and ribbon candy at Cater's Market.

WHIST CLUB ENTERTAINED.

The Eleven O'Clock Club of Eliot were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson at their home at Holt Hill on Monday evening, where the members enjoyed a very pleasant session.

Five tables were occupied by whist players and the gifts went to Mr. and Mrs. Forest Leach. The consolation fell into the hands of Harold Morse.

Dainty refreshments were served after which John Hillhouse favored the guests with several vocal selections accompanied on the piano by Fred Robinson.

**PERSONAL
PICKUPS**

Levi Little was a visitor in Boston on Monday.

Ex-Chief Engineer John D. Randall passed Monday in Boston.

Gordon B. Ladd of Boston is passing a few days in this city.

Shirley Simpson and Sherman Newton are passing a few days in town.

Mrs. Joseph M. Bassett and Mrs. M. A. Higgins passed Monday in Boston.

Mrs. J. Harold Hobbs and Miss Mira Hobbs passed Monday in Boston.

Harold Dutton has gone to Philadelphia to visit college mates at the University of Pennsylvania.

On Monday our well known citizen George W. Ham quietly observed the 55th anniversary of his birth.

John Dowd and Wallace Rand of Bryant and Stratton are passing the Thanksgiving recess at their homes.

Mrs. Dell Shea of Haverhill, Mass., has been called here by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Mary Burns.

Herbert Mattison of St. Anselm's college is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Mattison, for the Thanksgiving recess.

Frank Massey of the Boston University is spending his Thanksgiving recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Massey of State street.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. Frye of State street left on Tuesday morning to pass Thanksgiving day in Boston while in Boston they will hear Billy Sunday.

Frank W. Clough who is employed on the Portsmouth navy yard, left Monday evening for his home in Franklin, N. H., to cast his vote at today's municipal election.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wentworth who are on their way to their home in St. Cloud, Fla., are the guests of their daughter Mrs. George P. Smallwood of Lincoln avenue for a few days.

Charles H. Giles the well known Civil war veteran of Newcastle, and Republican candidate for representative at the last election, on Tuesday quietly observed the 54th anniversary of his birth.

Gordon Woodbury of Bedford, late Democratic candidate for congress from the first New Hampshire district is slowly recovering from a serious attack of sciatic rheumatism. He is at present at the Hotel Puritan, Commonwealth avenue in Boston.

That the Maine Public Utilities commission has a hearing scheduled for 10 a. m. on Tuesday, November 28, at its office at the state house, on petition of the Kittery Electric Light Company for authority to declare a dividend and to issue capital stock.

That the veteran firemen will pack the hall at the Thanksgiving eve ball.

That Portsmouth's new city government for 1917 will take the oath of office on New Year's.

That Gordon B. Ladd, formerly of this city now of Boston is passing a few days in town.

That four Portsmouth young people hiked it over the road to Dover on Sunday.

That they made the trip in about three hours.

That the young women of the party showed that they knew something about long trips over the highway and had just as much speed on as their escorts.

That the boys who hiked over the road from Rye the other night are not stuck on this method of exercise especially in nearly zero weather.

That the queens in the seaside town were the cause of it all. However, the girls say the electric road has no all-night service to Portsmouth and the boys would stick around.

That surprising news comes from the public works department.

That the board is giving a rebate on some of the water bills. Are you in on it?

That a man who says that help is scarce should ask some assistance in spending his money.

That Portsmouth will show considerable shifting in the ownership of real estate during November.

That the city election in Dover takes place today.

That we are told that opportunity knocks at every man's door, but we don't know whether it is a chance to open a peanut stand or a bank.

That the board of registrars are not very busy so far this campaign.

That the inmates of the Children's Home expect to hang their Christmas stockings up in the new home on Middle road.

That the friends of "Brack" Trevelyan still insist that he would be a good man for the public works and one that can win in a walk.

LOCAL DASHES

Oysters at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133. Ideal weather for this season of the year.

All is not harmony in local political circles.

There are fifty cases of measles in the city.

Purest of ribbon candy at the Nichols' candy store.

The time to do your Christmas shopping is now.

Place your order early for your ice cream at Dondoro's.

The golf players find the present weather perfect for play.

Pure ice cream, all flavors, delivered Thanksgiving morning. Tel. 25. Paras Bros.

Portsmouth is going to see Billy Sunday next Tuesday.

Ask your dealer for Harmon's tomato sausage.

Municipal elections are being held in Dover and Franklin today.

Two weeks from today occurs the municipal election in this city.

This should be a short week in Newburyport since Sunday came on Monday.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons, Tel. 245.

Fresh killed turkeys, geese, ducks and fowl at Cater's Market, 37 Daniel street.

Some nice looking poultry is displayed in the windows of the local markets.

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The big addition to the Sinclair garage will give storage for thirty more autos.

A pistol shot shortly before midnight on Monday startled the residents of Daniel street and vicinity.

Billy Sunday might make a trip to some of the prohibition towns in Maine and gather in a few trail hitters.

Fresh ribbon candy, figs, dates and fruits of all kinds for the Thanksgiving table at Paras Bros' Tel. 25.

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The suggestion by several writers in The Herald that our citizens discard politics in city affairs is still the topic of conversation.

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Why not get together like sensible business men in city affairs and give Portsmouth a good clean progressive administration.

Mr. Sheehan wishes to announce that his next dancing class will be held at Moose club hall, High street on Wednesday evening.

Buy your lobsters, fresh and salt fish of all kinds from the Portsmouth Fish Co., Broughton's Wharf. Tel. 760. Auto delivery. n. 25, 1f.

The members of the Franklin Pierce Veteran Men's Association have issued some neat invitations for their 11th annual ball which takes place at Freeman's hall on Thanksgiving eve.

Suits and overcoats, stylish, well made, no fancy prices. When you are down this way come in and let me show you. Kaufman, cor. Bow and Market streets.

Dinner will be served at the National Hotel Cafe, Thanksgiving day from 1 to 3 p. m. The management would thank those intending to dine, if they kindly leave number and time of dining as tables are limited. n. 25, 1f.

ELIOT.

A social and entertainment will be given by the Eliot W. C. T. U. at Epworth hall, South Eliot, on Friday evening, Dec. 1. The program is of unusual excellence and will include cornet solos by Miss Livermore and vocal solos by Mrs. Hobbs of Portsmouth. Readings will be given by Miss Murdock of New York, Mrs. Ives of Salem, and others. After the entertainment refreshments will be served. The Union is expecting a full house.

Mrs. Mary Burns is under treatment at the Portsmouth hospital.

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**ZION CLUB
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Musical Program at Home
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On Sunday evening November 26, the Deborah Zion club society of this city held its first anniversary and banquet at the home of Miss Rose Levy, ex president of the club. The caterer of the evening was Mrs. Levy. The table was beautifully decorated and a flashlight picture was taken while all the members were enjoying the dinner.

The club was presented with a doll m. spot in blue and white, the Zionist colors, by one of its members.

Miss Rose Levy was the recipient of a bouquet of beautiful American Beauty roses, presented to her by the club.

Appropriate toasts were the order of the evening and music was rendered at the piano by Miss Molly Shapiro and Miss Ella Sharanovsky. Miss Frances Salden gave delightful selections on the violin.

The installation of the newly elected officers took place as follows: Mrs. Alex Salden, president; Miss Esther Cohen, vice president; Miss Frances Salden, secretary; Miss Ella Sharanovsky, financial secretary; Miss Jennie Nannis, treasurer.

**NOTES OF
THE SPORTS****Thanksgiving Wrestling Carnival**

With what he feels to be the best program he has ever offered his patrons, George Tuohy feels that his big annual Thanksgiving night wrestling carnival in Mechanics building Boston, will be better than ever this year. The signing of Hevumpaa, the "Fiery Finn", to meet Michaeloff, the Cossack, is assured and this rounds out a really remarkable series of matches.

All told there will be four pairs to clash in finish matches under catch-as-catch-can rules and every indication is that every one of the matches will be a rugged battle from beginning to end. In pairing the men, Mr. Tuohy sought an even balance throughout, with the styles of all the pairs differing materially, so that the fans would get the greatest kind of variety of wrestling.

The completed card is as follows: Waldek Zdyko of Poland vs Fred Pilakoff of Finland; Hilmer Johnson of Sweden vs Karl Lemle of Bohemia; Tofales of Greece vs Leavitt of the U. S. army, and Hevumpaa of Finland vs Michaeloff of Russia. Every man on the bill reports himself in the best of shape and confident of winning, so that there promises to be enough action in the matches to keep the fans on their toes from start to finish.

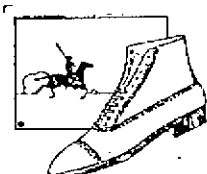
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Intimate Story of Late Years of the Life of Miss Farmer is Told by Mrs. Florence J. Cowles

A new side in the life of the late Miss Sarah Jane Farmer is told by a woman who had every opportunity of knowing the wonderful woman intimately for a period of nine years; the last few years of her life. Her simple pleasures, her hopes, and her apparent firm belief in the religion of her adoption, are told in the following article written by Mrs. Florence J. Cowles, who saw her almost daily while she was a patient of the sanitarium of Dr. Edward S. Cowles of this city. Through all her years of suffering Mrs. Cowles says that Miss Farmer never lost her thoughtfulness for others and her gentleness, charm and consideration, never deserted her.

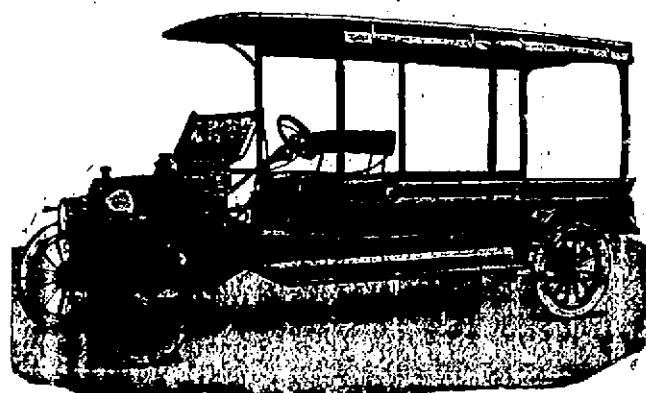
The Pitiful Ending of a Wonderful Woman

(By Florence J. Cowles)

Deserted by her friends and relatives, Sarah J. Farmer, one of the most notable women of her day, died at her home in Eliot, Maine. Founder of the School of Comparative Religions at Green Acre, Miss Farmer consecrated her life to the happiness of others and through her later years when she was visited with so much sorrow and sickness, her wonderful sweetness and charm, her gentleness and consideration of others, never deserted her.

Born in Dover, N. H., seventy years ago, Miss Farmer was the daughter of Moses G. Farmer who did much toward perfecting the Bell telephone and the first electric trolley, stories of which Miss Farmer never tired of telling her friends, for as the years were on Miss Farmer lived more and more in the memories of her happy companionship with her father and mother.

When on a trip to Egypt about twenty years ago, Miss Farmer was made a member of the Order of the St. Thel. She took the seventh degree; to



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could wear when she lay in the hammock and at the same time one which would shield her eyes from the sun. Miss Farmer received this bonnet with the enthusiasm of a girl of sixteen, the books and other gifts were forgotten.

During the morning a life long friend of Miss Farmer's, a noted physician, called to pay his respects. As he left her room I joined him.

"Did you see Miss Farmer's gifts?" I inquired.

There was a twinkle in his eye. "I saw the gray bonnet. Miss Farmer insisted that I open the hand box and take it out and look at it. Oh, the vanity of women!"

Most of her days Miss Farmer passed in reading and re-reading the letters from her friends and in looking over countless treasures which she had carefully put away, and where each one was she knew and the days when she remained in bed she could always tell the nurse just where to find them.

Miss Farmer longed to see her home in Eliot and to see the things which were sacred to the memory of her father and mother. For seven years, after Miss Farmer was taken from her home and placed in a sanitarium her life was lived under an alien roof. Her expenses were met by the generosity of her many friends, each year the friends bring asked to contribute what they could towards her maintenance.

Miss Mary R. Sanford of New York worked for Miss Farmer with unfailing sincerity, for "Mother Peace," as she called Miss Farmer, trying in some way to bring to her, in her last years the peace and calm and happiness which should be the reward of a woman who had lived her life trying to make others better and happier.

Miss Farmer returned to her home at the instigation of her relatives but not to the loving care and affection which should have been hers.

She returned to her home and to the care of a competent nurse, but the home was empty and Miss Farmer's "family" consisted of Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. Leach and Miss Palmer, her nurse. Mrs. Leach acted as housekeeper.

What a pitiful ending for a woman who had received the homage of hundreds of people, for, when Miss Farmer would enter any public place on her travels around the world, a silence would fall, as she, clad in her simple gray gown, her gray bonnet with its long gray veil, the cameo brooch of her father her only ornament, would make her way into the room, people would stop their way, laughter and would whisper, "Who is she?" And at Green Acre, where the notables of this country and of Europe used to gather it was Miss Farmer's rare personality which dominated all other personalities.

On one birthday she received the usual beautiful books, baskets of fruit, flowers and cards but she also received a gray bonnet all soft and made of gray chiffon—one which she

REAL JOHN DOE RUNS INTO FINE

Brooklyn, Nov. 27.—John Doe is found!

Out in South Brooklyn the real genuine John Doe has revealed himself as a defendant in the Fifth avenue court.

John Doe's appearance was greeted with a \$5 fine. But that doesn't matter so very much. John got caught dunning a load of dirt into a D. R. T. owned lot at Thirty-seventh street and Fifth avenue and was haled to court.

"What's your real name?" asked Magistrate Nauman.

"John Doe."

"So you're the original John Doe?"

"Yes, I am," admitted the man at the bar.

As soon as they find Jane the whole family will be found, and then what will the courts do? They will await the coming of Robert Roe.

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"The Board of Registrars of Voters will be in session at City Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 25, Tuesday, Dec. 5, and Wednesday, Dec. 6, from 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m., to prepare the checklist to be used at the coming election, Dec. 12, 1916.

Also on election day from 8 to 12 a. m. for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names have been omitted from the list.

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Look, Mother! If tongue is coated give "California Syrup of Figs."

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ITALY LOSES 20,000 MEN TO THE ARABS

Berlin, Bayville wireless, Nov. 27.—Loss by Italy of 20,000 by a coupe engineered by Tripoli natives was announced in a Constantinople dispatch received here today.

Ramaza Ben Chetwi, who, the statement says, the Italians believed to have been bribed by them, turned his arms against Italy, armed his followers by Italian money and defeated them. The Arabian chief Halifen Ben Asker, it was said, also overcame the Italians near Dehblat, penetrated into Tunis, and is still engaging French forces there.

After arrival of Nuri Pasha, a military organization was effected in Tripoli and the Turkish administration is now completely reestablished there as it was before 1911. The statement declares that the Italians "have not abandoned five cities which they still occupy on the coast."

The above dispatch apparently claims Turkish resumption of control of Tripoli, which country the Ottoman empire lost in the Turco-Italian war of 1911 and which Italy formally annexed Feb. 23, 1912.

Statements Agree on Rumanian Situation.

London, Nov. 27.—The German-Bulgarian forces in Rumania are advancing steadily, consolidating their positions as they go, while Rumanian forces are as steadily retreating.

Statements today from German, Hungarian, Russian and Rumanian capitals agreed on this general view of the Balkan campaign. Berlin reported the capture of Alexandria and hinted at driving of a bolt across the only line of retreat left for the Rumanian forces, bottled up in the southwesternmost part of Rumania.

The Bucharest statement admitted a retreat from along the Alt. This was amplified by the Petrograd statement's explanation that the retreating forces were taking advantage of all natural features of that section to resist the enemy advance.

If the German statement is accurate the Teutonic forces now control nearly 300 miles of the Danube, which forms the southwestern border of Rumania. The greatest interest was expressed here in a dispatch from Copenhagen, announcing that Czar Nicholas of Rumania had arrived at Kiev en route to the aid to hold conferences with allied commanders.

Teutons Cross Danube at 2 Points East of Alt.

Sofia, via London, Nov. 27.—The Bulgarian-German forces under Field Marshal Mackensen have crossed the Danube at two points east of the Alt valley, according to an official statement issued by the war office yesterday. The first crossing was made by the Bulgarians near Slivstova, about 50 miles east of the foot of the Alt valley. The second crossing was made by the Germans near Sonovit, at the mouth of the Alt. The text of the statement follows:

"An Italian battalion which attempted a counter-attack near Ternova was repulsed. After artillery preparations the enemy unsuccessfully attacked hill 1650 east of Parlovo. On the rest of the front there was lively artillery fire. "In the Dobrudja there was artillery firing and patrol engagements. The enemy has entrenched before our positions. Detachments of our troops, co-operating with the Germans, were first

to cross the Danube near Slivstova and after some fighting took the town of Zimultza, where a large quantity of grain was found. The Germans crossed the Danube near Sonovit and occupied Isacz and Pakovitz.

"Near Ternova several parties of our troops crossed from the right bank of the Danube and co-operated in the capture of the town.

Will Demand Italy Make Immediate Peace.

Rome, Nov. 27.—Firm consolidation of all forces for an even more vigorous conduct of the war will probably result from a discussion of Italy's part in the struggle expected to be precipitated immediately after convening of the Chamber of Deputies for the autumn session.

The Socialist Leader Turati has announced that immediately after the convening of the chamber he will demand that Italy make an immediate peace. There is every indication that he will be savagely attacked for such a suggestion and that all forces will unite against him in approving continuance of the war and greater vigor to Italy's participation.

THE LADY CONGRESSMAN

There is no joy in Washington among the congress gentry.

Over what Montana's vote has done. To give a woman entry to their executive set, because they must use circumspection in their propounding of the laws. Last she should make objection.

Some words, which frequently debate Culls forth, as it gets heated. The member from Montana state must never hear repeated. Each must comport himself with all the dignity becoming a member; never a phrase let fall. The lady's car humbling.

And to the legislative sense. The presence of a woman is bound to make a difference. And feminine nuance.

May cause the lobbyists concern. About their avocation. And may they even early learn. That there is legislation.

Above suspicion, with no faint. Of anything that's venal. And there is nothing, over so faint. Could be construed as venal. For national enfranchisement. Of women she stands boldly. And ought against it will resent. And frown upon quite coldly.

For laws that will the child safeguard. In labor, health and morals. Her aim, though such may fall to yeard. Cut legislative quarrels.

And she will stoutly champion. This other, in addition. A nation wide and rigid one. And labeled, Prohibition!

This trinity will be her aim. While national law-maker. And in the fight may she be game. And Justice never forsake her. —J. E. MOORE.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

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Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hacking, sniffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

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It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.

NOTICE.

On and after Dec. 1, 1916, the price of milk delivered in Portsmouth will be as follows: Retail, 5c per quart; 5c per pint (delivered singly). Wholesale, 7 1/2c per quart. (Signed)

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MILLION POUNDS OF TURKEY COME FOR HUB TABLES

RETAILERS NOT BUYING, PRICE TOO HIGH—WARM WEDNESDAY WILL BREAK PRICES.

Boston, Nov. 27.—It is up to the weather man whether Boston eats turkey on Thanksgiving or not.

Just 1,000,000 pounds of turkeys from Texas and the southwest arrived in Boston on two long trains today. These turkeys were sold to wholesale meat and poultry dealers at prices varying from 22 to 24 cents a pound.

Despite the fact that there is enough turkey in Boston at present to feed the entire city on Thanksgiving day, the retailers have but little. Of the 1,000,000 pounds that came in today the retailers are not buying, for they declare that cannot sell turkeys when they have to get from 12 to 15 cents a pound for them, and that is what they would have to charge for any of those brought into Boston today.

"Therefore, it is up to the weather man. If he keeps the temperature up until the day before Thanksgiving the wholesalers and commission men of the city will find themselves with more turkey on their hands than they know what to do with, and turkeys will be dropped on the market at almost any price that can be got for them. The advice of all retailers at present is—wait."

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. For impure blood and sluggish liver use Burdock Blood Purifiers. On the market 35 years. \$1.00 a bottle.

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ORDER OF ELKS PRESENT Y. M. C. A. WITH NEW FLAG

Portsmouth Lodge, No. 57, B. P. O. E., has presented the Young Men's Christian Association with an American flag to be used on the flagstaff of the building on Congress street. The following later accompanied the gift:

Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 25, 1916.
To the Secretary and Directors of the Y. M. C. A.

Gentlemen:
We are sending you with this an

American flag, the gift of the Portsmouth Lodge, No. 57, B. P. O. E. This is the emblem of our order and we hope it will inspire feelings of patriotism in the hearts of the young men belonging to the association.

With it we send our best wishes and kindest feeling and trust you will accept it in the spirit in which it is given.

Most Cordially Yours,
J. W. Barrett, Exalted Ruler,
W. W. J. Murphy, Secretary.

The choicest of fruits, nuts and confectionery can be found at Dunder's.

DEMOCRATS PICK OUT THE CANDIDATES

City Committee Makes Recommendations for Mayor and Other Offices.

A sub committee from the Democratic city committee got together on Monday night for the purpose of picking a mayoralty nominee and submitting a list of candidates for the at large ticket and to recommend certain ward candidates. It appears that the list picked at the first meeting was subject to change without notice.

The committee caused some surprise in the candidates for the board of public works when they named John G. Parsons, ex-state senator, and John Henry, a former councilman. Up to the time of this meeting Everett W. Trefethen and James W. Barrett were supposed to have the nomination clinched.

If nothing happens, the following ticket will be presented at the caucus:

For mayor—Dr. Samuel T. Ladd.
For councilmen at large—Mortimer L. Haynes, Fred A. Gray, Harry T. Wendell and Robert J. Kilpatrick.
The recommendation for ward councilmen is understood to have been approved and the following names were presented:

Ward 1—Edward A. Weeks.
Ward 2—William J. Conlon.
Ward 3—John J. Sullivan.
Ward 4—Charles E. Grever.
Ward 5—John T. Sheehan.
For the Board of Assessors—Daniel W. Badger.

The committee is expected to meet the Republican city committee in making the selection of candidates for the school board.

The city and ward caucuses will be held on Saturday next. The city cau-

cus will take place from 5 to 8 p. m. and the ward nominations will be made from 8 to 9 p. m.

LET THE DEAD REST IN PEACE

The Herald has received a lengthy communication from Col. F. H. Sanborn attacking the accuracy of the news stories printed in other papers upon the death of Miss Farmer. This paper has also received letters from others, including one from Louise Chapman Hotchkiss, complimenting Dr. Cowles upon his treatment of Miss Farmer and attacking others. This paper has printed both sides of the Farmer case during the past year and we believe the public will agree that it is now best to have the merits of the settled in the courts. Until then we believe that the Herald's course to let the poor woman rest in peace will be approved.

FOOTBALL GAME ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

A football game will be played at the South Playgrounds Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock between the Seniors of the High school and the All Stars from the lower classes. The Seniors' lineup will be practically the High school team, which has made such an excellent showing this season.

OBSEQUIES.

Edmund Lewis Bryant.

The body of Edmund Lewis Bryant, who died in Manchester, was brought to Greenland on Monday for interment in Greenland cemetery. Rev. Dr. Robie held committal services at the grave. The burial was in charge of Underliker Nickerson.

WRECKERS GO TO NEWBURYPORT

The wrecking crew of the Boston & Maine was called to Newburyport shortly after 11 o'clock on Monday night where traffic on one of the main lines was tied up by an Amesbury freight that caused the derailment of a car while switching.

Mixed nuts at Paras Bros. All new and fresh stock. Tel. 25.

TO DELIVER DEDICATORY ADDRESS

Secretary of the Navy Daniels Plans to Come to Portsmouth, Dec. 23.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels plans to come to Portsmouth on Saturday evening Dec. 23 to deliver the dedicatory address at the new Army and Navy Home. He is to be in Newport on that day and will run up here for the occasion of dedicating the new home.

To The Herald man in New York on Saturday he said: "I want very much to go to Portsmouth for the exercises but every minute of my time is taken for months. I am to be in Newport on the 23d and if you can plan to get me to Portsmouth from there and to New York in the morning I will be there."

Plans will be made if possible to carry out the program on that date.

FEASTED ON CORN AND VENISON

Following the meeting of Massasoit Tribe, No. 16, I. O. R. M., held on Monday evening the members adjourned to Hodgdon's cafe and enjoyed a feast of corn and venison, the latter dish being provided by Brother Franklin Butler who recently returned from a successful deer hunt in Northern New Hampshire. Of those present at the festive board six were charter members of Massasoit Tribe.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Mrs. Nancy Kiernan will be held at her late home 415 Union street Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

The turkey is getting it in the neck.



OVERCOAT WEEK

The week in which comes Thanksgiving day is the overcoat week of the year. Most everybody wants their new winter one for the holiday. Our present display offers an unusually wide range of models as we show all and there are lots of them this season. "Belters," pinchbacks, form fitting, semi form fitting, loose fitting, belted way around, half way around and other styles. Big variety in colorings and weavings.

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